Small Engine Workshop



November 13, 2002

Overview of Presentation

- Past Significant Events
- Amendment Objectives
- Current Testing
- Next Steps





Significant Events

1990 - 1st SORE Reg Adopted

1995 - 1st standards Implemented

1998 - SORE Reg Amendments

2000 - Durability Requirement Implemented

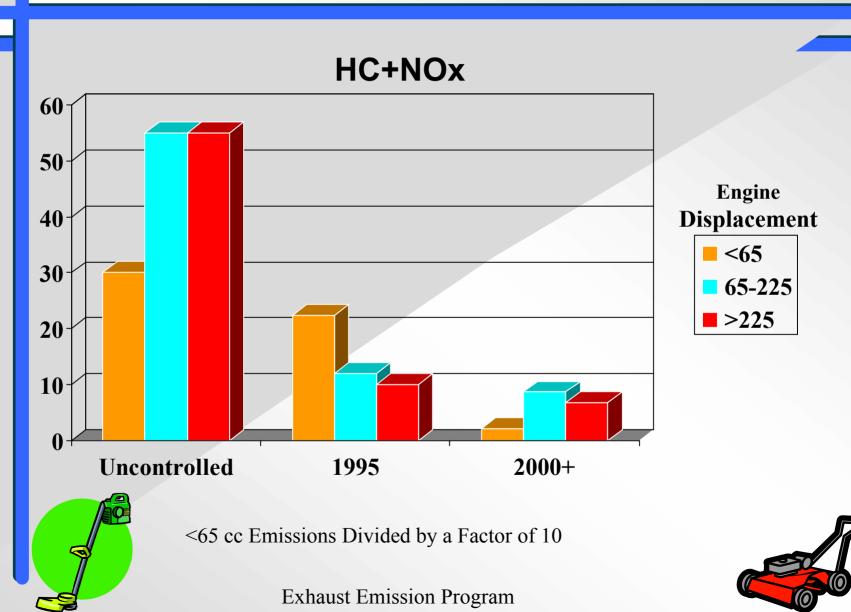
1998/2000 - U.S. EPA Finalized Regs

2003 - New Amendments to be Proposed



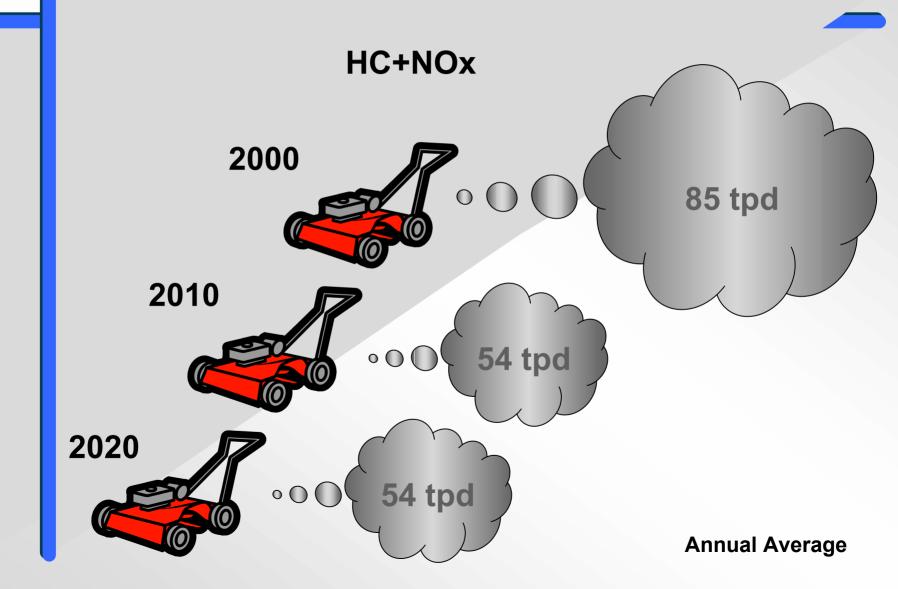


Reductions Already Achieved



g/bhp-hr

Small Engine Contribution



New Amendment Objectives

- Adopt U.S. EPA's 2005 "handheld" emission level
- Adopt catalyst based standards for the "non-handheld"
- Adopt optional low-emission standards
- Align ARB/U.S. EPA Test Procedures





Proposed Amendments

0 - 65cc ("Handheld")

- Adopt U.S. EPA's 37g/bhp-hr HC+NOx standard
 - Applicable less than 50cc
 - CO standard unchanged
- Change upper cc limit to 75cc



Proposed Amendments

>75cc ("Non-Handheld")

- 50% reduction in HC+NOx standard
 - based on use of catalyst
 - 75 <225cc: 6.0 g/bhp-hr
 - 225cc and above: 4.5 g/bhp-hr
- No change in durability period
- 2006 Implementation



Proposed Amendments Optional Standards

- Voluntary
- Cleanest Engines
- **■** Incentives
- 2003-2004/5 MY- Comply with Tier 3 standards
- 2005/6 + MY- Comply with levels 50% of Tier 3 standards



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- Six Engine test program
 - Four 65-225cc
 - -Two > 225cc
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No.	Max. Power (hp)	Disp. (cc)	Engine Spec.	Shaft	Cert HC+NOx (g/bhp-hr)
1&2	5	190	OHV	Vertical	9.3
3	6.75	195	OHV	Vertical	7.7
4	5.5	163	OHV	Horizontal	7.7
5	14.2	675	OHV, V-Twin	Vertical	8.5
6	13	389	OHV	Horizontal	6.2



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Status of Test Effort

- SwRI received catalysts
- As-received engine exhaust results for Engines A and B
- Currently working on catalyst development for Engines A and B
- March 2003 Expected project completion date



Next Steps

- Developing regulatory language
- Individual manufacturer meetings set for Nov 18-Dec 6
- Complete test program
- Board Hearing June 2003
- Written comments by Dec. 13, 2002

